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WADSWORTH'S DEBUT.

The Chicago Papers Speak Unkindly of the Rendition of De Coss.

The appearance of Will Wadsworth of Topeka, in Otis Skinner's play "The King's Jester," at Chicago, is not highly spoken of by the press of that city. The play was given a column in the Herald and Tribune and was quite a dramatic event.

The papers may have judged young Wadsworth harshly. Many a famous actor has done poorly in the first part he attempted. Not goodwin who is such a success in comedy once essayed a Shakespearean role and set the audience in convulsions. There may be a bright future for Mr. Wadsworth in spite of the Chicago critics. In "The King's Jester" he appeared as De Coss.

The Herald says: "It would seem, however, that some great automata might be secured able to represent the characters Marot and De Coss with a more convincing appearance of life and animation than Hamilton Bradshaw and W. W. Wadsworth contributed to them."

The Tribune says: "All the courtesies were presentable except Mr. W. N. Wadsworth, who was made up to look like a western lumberman."

LIKE CESAR.

An A. R. U. Man Well Known in Kansas

Three Years Ago at Chicago.

Harry Chapman of the local American Railway union received word today that L. W. Rodgers, his intimate friend and editor of the Railway Times, had been nominated for congress in Chicago by the A. R. U. men and Populists. Mr. Rodgers is well known among the railroad men in Topeka. He has addressed most of the local railroad organizations in Topeka, and made a number of speeches in Kansas during the late strike, but none in Topeka. Mr. Rodgers was nominated without his consent and a committee aroused him from bed to notify him of their choice. He refused to accept the nomination, and he was twice again nominated by acclamation before he would agree to let his name be used.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Items of Interest About Topeka People and Visitors in Town.

(Notices or descriptions of social events intended for this column will not be published unless accompanied by the name and address of the writer.)

The marriage of Miss Gertrude Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Smith, and Mr. Frank S. Crane was solemnized last evening in the bride's home, corner of Fourth and Tyler streets, and about one hundred and fifty of the society people of the city witnessed the ceremony, which will add another name to their list of matrons. In the first parlor on the corner was seated with palms and here, under a canopy of similar, the wedding party stood. Rev. L. Blakesley repeated the service of the Episcopal ritual.

The bride looked beautiful in a gown of ivory white satin, whose elegant simplicity suited her admirably. The high collar was heavily studded with pearls, and the train was square and a long tulle veil was fastened in the hair with pearl pins. She carried a cluster of bridal roses. Miss Glenna Cross, as maid of honor, wore white chiffon over white silk. The next wedding maid, with a high collar, and the sleeves of the elbow. Her gloves were long ones of white tulle and she carried pearls. Mrs. Arthur Capper presided at the piano and played the wedding march from Lohengrin. She wore her wedding dress of white tulle and carried a large Empire style. Mr. Louis Smith, brother of the bride acted as best man. The parlor was simply decorated with palms and white roses, and refreshments were served in Mrs. Wm. Mueller's parlors; carpets were spread across the lawn and the guests were seated at small tables in the shade of Miss Mabel Knott's Grace Vanhooken, Nellie Small and Grace Weiss.

Mrs. Smith, in a handsome black satin gown trimmed with duchesse lace, was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Geo. W. Crane in black and white with jet trimming, and Mrs. Silas Kahn who wore black velvet combining with mauve satin. The wedding gifts were exceptionally beautiful. Both bride and groom are very popular in society here and are so well and favorably known that a further delineation would be superfluous. They will be at home after Nov. 4, at 1116 Van Buren street.

Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Souther celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage, the golden wedding, last evening at their home, 709 Jefferson, and a large gathering of relatives and friends were assembled to rejoice with them over the many years which they have been enabled to enjoy together. Mr. Souther is an old settler of Topeka; he came here in 1849 and took charge of the book and job department of the Record, under E. P. Baker and later the King. He met Mrs. W. G. Souther, who was connected with newspaper business until about fifteen years ago, when he became a clerk in the auditor of passenger receipts office, which position he holds now.

Last evening the gathering was enlivened by music and supper of many good things was served. A bell of autumn leaves hung in the doorway between the two parlors. Some very handsome presents were received, among them a dinner set of gold and china from the employees in auditor's office. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Souther of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Souther and Major and Mrs. Lewis of Springfield, Ill., Mrs. Lizzie Johnson of Decatur, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Woodbridge of Golden, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Preston H. Souther and daughter, Robert C. Bond and family, R. L. Zeller and family, Mrs. J. M. Bond, C. M. Atwood, J. E. Mitchell, W. O. Louck, M. W. Ballard, A. V. Albright, G. S. Mason, J. A. McClure, John Bradley, H. W. Baugardner, O. E. Pamly, M. I. Lee, M. E. Brubaker, G. E. Gope, Pearl Bruce, Rudolph Whitmer, Wetherby, W. C. Frederick, Chas. Thrapp, H. Robinson, G. E. Bill, Wm. Davis, G. Henry, Carson, Willis Edson, Gordon Miller, B. S. Skinner, Rev. L. Blakesley, Rev. F. S. McCabe, Markley.

Breck-Lord.

Tuesday morning, October 2nd, thirty-five relatives and intimate friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lord, 118 Harrison street, to witness the marriage of their daughter, Carrie May, to Mr. Hubert O. Breck. Promptly at 10 o'clock Miss Clara Delcher sounded Mendelssohn's wedding march and a moment later the bridal pair entered the parlor and took their places beneath a floral horse shoe suspended from the center of an arch of mauls and other graceful vines. The Rev. Mr. Howard, of the M. E. church performed the ceremony. After hearty congratulations an elegant breakfast was served. The bride, who is an accomplished young lady, was attired in white Henrietta and real lace, white tulle gloves and slippers, tulle veil and orange blossoms. The house was profusely decorated with palms, begonias and other flowers. A beautiful heart of pansies and sweet alyssum occupied a prominent place on the piano. The presents, which were numerous and costly, testifying to the esteem in which the young couple are held. They left on the 2 o'clock train for Kansas City, St. Louis and other points east. Mr. and Mrs. Breck are both well known in Topeka, having lived here all their lives, and will be at home to their friends after October 15, at 817 Chestnut street.

A Surprise Party.

Miss Gertrude Biddle was given a surprise party Tuesday evening by some of her friends who succeeded admirably in the plans and the young lady was as embarrassed by the crowd before her, when she returned from a call, as they could have wished. The lawn was lighted with Japanese lanterns and indoors golden and red and asparagus brightened the rooms. Refreshments were served to Misses Annie and Jennie Hudson, Ethel and Nora Oliver, Clara, Alice and Cora Deicher, Birdie Wilson, Abbie Shaffer, Leona Prouty, Edna Prescott, Mamie Crawford, Leona Jones, Maud Butler, Gertie Knight, Olive McCarther, Lottie Sharum, Messrs Martin Oswald, Harry Oliver, Fred Bartlett, Louis Shaffer, Bert Higgins, Walter Fassling, Dan Carr, Elmer Mitchell, Ed Merritt, Wm. Griffith, Charlie Ramsey, John Chambers, Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilman were surprised Tuesday evening by a party of friends at their home, 1014 Monroe street, N. T. It was their fiftieth wedding anniversary and the guests brought many nice gifts as reminders of the occasion. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Dell Parks, Coleman, Dolman, McGraw,

Bathaway, Sly, Wallace, Wilkerson, Betts, Ammel, Holliday, Hamilton, Mrs. M. Parks, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Miller, Misses Bowman, Morrow, Stoker, Dolman, Heartburg, Green, Miller, Hamilton, Messrs. Nightman, Coleman, Hamilton, Scales, Reed, Farmer, Jones, Evans, Clark.

Married, at Kansas City, Mo., October 1, in the parlors of Rev. J. M. Coleman, Mr. John M. Leeper and Miss Jessie Brown, both of Topeka. Their sister, Miss Gussie accompanied them on an eastern tour, and on their return they will be at home to their friends at 1854 Mulvane street.

Miss Edna Spear of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Mrs. M. Gage.

Mrs. Henry Taylor is visiting in Kansas City.

Col. and Mrs. A. S. Johnson, have returned from Pigeon Cove, Mass., where they spent the summer.

Mrs. C. F. Kendall has returned from Grand Rapids, Mich., and is the guest of Mrs. Eugene Quinton.

An array of thick shoes, large and small on a porch, thick with rice and with their feet with white tulle, they tried the abode of a newly wedded pair this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fassler are spending a few days in Kansas City.

Miss Norma Smith will give a dancing party on the evening of the 18th in Weimer's hall.

Senator Elliott Prieto of Saqua, Cuba, visited Mr. F. G. Hubbell and Mr. G. C. Sperry on Monday of this week. The senator is on his way to Madrid, Spain, to join his family.

The choir of the First Baptist church will meet tonight instead of Friday night.

Mrs. H. A. Cone is visiting relatives in Kansas City for a few days.

Mrs. M. Griffith of Dallas, Tex., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Myers will entertain their friends at their tenth anniversary October 9th.

Conductor D. N. Myers and family have returned from a six weeks visit through Illinois.

J. J. Collins of East Las Vegas, N. M., is in town for a few days. He is a brother-in-law of J. G. Samuelson.

THE POTWIN COUNCIL.

Ebenezer Wilson Wasn't There, But It Held a Meeting Last Night.

In view of the fact that Ebenezer Wilson was not present at the regular meeting of the Potwin council last Monday evening it was found necessary to adjourn the meeting until Wednesday.

At the meeting last evening Mayor Forbes was in the chair and City Clerk Miller held the pencil. Councilmen Parkhurst, Hamilton, Ogilby and Bond were present. Councilmen Griffith and Ebenezer were absent. A report of the marshal was demanded to show why Mr. Wilson had not been notified and as it was satisfactory the council proceeded to struggle along without him.

The session was not a long one, however, and did not last later than 9 o'clock.

The Topeka Water company desired the settlement of its bill of \$43.15 for the iron pipe used in repairing the Auburn-ale sewer, and the council ordered it so.

E. P. Ewart sold the city some lumber on time, and the city clerk was ordered to fix it so he could have it.

C. L. Vanderpool owned some lots in Potwin, and he appeared in a lengthy petition last evening to declare that he had been erroneously taxed 55 cents for sidewalk bulbs in front of them.

The council was very nice about the matter, and Mr. Vanderpool will get his 55 cents.

City Clerk Miller thought his services as tax collector were worth \$12.40 and the council let him have it.

Potwin has not needed a police judge for a long time so no attention was paid to the matter when Wm. Henderson was elected last spring, did not formally qualify. It was suddenly discovered a few weeks ago that the city had no police judge and the mayor was asked to appoint one. Mr. Henderson signified his willingness to accept the honor and the mayor appointed him to the council on Monday evening, November 5.

HE SUE THE POLICE.

James Reed Sued Officer Dagg For \$5,000 Damages, and Got \$0.

A farce comedy was enacted in the district court this morning. James Reed, a colored young man whose nose is badly disfigured by some disorder, was suing Sergeant Henry Steele and Police-man John Dagg for \$5,000 damages for another of his reputation. The jury, after being out four minutes, returned a verdict for the defendants.

Reed had been arrested with a woman named Mary Marshall for being in a disorderly house. They were arrested on that charge in order to hold them on another charge. A highway robbery had been committed, and there were reasons for supposing that Reed and the Marshall woman were the guilty parties. The police were unable to get the evidence they needed to convict them of the robbery, so they were discharged.

Reed then sued the officers for \$5,000 damages to his reputation, character, standing in the community, and to his health. F. G. Hentig "handled" the case. Judge Hazen in his instructions to the jury laid much stress on the fact that a police officer must be allowed considerable latitude in dealing with such criminal classes.

CONVICTIONS 36.

Showing Made by the County Attorney of This Term of Court.

County Attorney Sadford considers the showing made by him in this term's criminal court fully up to if not above the average. Since court opened on September 3, forty-eight criminal cases have been disposed of. Of this number there have been thirty-seven convictions and nine acquittals, with two hung juries. Of those who were found guilty twenty-four pleaded guilty and thirteen received verdicts of guilty by jury.

There have been eighteen liquor cases disposed of. In these there have been fourteen convictions and four acquittals. Of the former nine pleaded guilty and six were tried and found guilty.

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Good work done by the Peerless.

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A CITY OF SNEAKS.

John Swinton Thus Describes the City of New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—John Swinton, the well known friend of the working man, who spoke at the Populist candidate for mayor of New York, said last night at a meeting of Populists in his characteristic style, that New York is the most despicable city in the world. "Why is it," said he, "that this city has always had a bad reputation so far as the progress of liberty and rights of men are concerned. In the Revolutionary war it was the last city to be cleared of the Tories; in the civil war it was the hot bed of secession, and in the present great conflict for the emancipation of labor and the recognition of the rights of men it is a thousand years behind Paris and London. San Francisco, Chicago, in fact every city of the United States is at least one hundred years in advance of New York, with the single exception of Philadelphia."

"It seems to me," continued Mr. Swinton, "that it is the fate of New York to be a city of sneaks, cowards, and traitors. I wish we had some great leader to bring it up to the level of Madrid or Copenhagen. What we who believe in human emancipation need is a leader for our cause like Dr. Parkhurst. Why is it that there are but 200 people here tonight, while Dr. Parkhurst could draw any number in which he speaks to its utmost capacity."

"There is more misery in New York tonight than in any city on the globe. Why do not the people rise? We have as our president a fat butcher. No butchery by any imperial leader was ever greater than that of Cleveland, which Grover Cleveland caused to be done by national troops in Indiana and Illinois. Why do not the people vote themselves out of purgatory? I say tonight to oppressed and downtrodden humanity in this country, 'Vote yourselves out of the Vanderbilts and the Goulds.'"

"Ah! you think this is too radical, do you? Well I say to you that you are but half-bred Populists. You are tainted with the dry rot of this shameless, inhuman city of New York."

"Are the workingmen crazy? It would seem so with the power of voting themselves anything and everything in the world. I suppose they will walk to the polls as usual and vote to continue in a slavery that is worse than death. God help them this winter, for it is going to be one of awful distress."

MRS. OELRICHS' LEGACY.

Will Have to Wait for Her Half Million Till a Suit is Settled.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 4.—Mrs. Herman Oelrichs may be obliged to wait some time for the million and a half legacy she received and receipt for which she came hither from New York two days ago. The delay in the payment of her share in the four million dollar estate left by her mother, Mrs. Theresa Fair, is due to the fight now being made in the courts by Charles Oelrichs, her surviving son. He claims the legacy of his dead brother James.

By the terms of the mother's will each son was to receive \$500,000. James when 35 and Charles when he had attained 30 years. It was provided that in case either brother died without a wife or children his share should go to the survivor. If both brothers died wifeless and childless their legacies were to go to the sisters, Mrs. Oelrichs and Miss Virginia Fair.

Charles claims that his marriage a year ago altered the case and makes his mother's share payable to him in lieu of a wife. The sisters contest this point, desiring it is said to receive the interest on the half million for five years themselves. Charles will receive his own legacy in two years. The family litigation has tied up the entire estate.

BYERS IS INSANE.

The Pittsburg Millionaire Is Formally Declared So by Physicians.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 4.—Ebenezer Byers, the wealthy iron purchaser of Pittsburg, was today declared a lunatic. His wife, who has spent the last two years searching for and trying to regain possession of her husband, whom she alleged was being kept from her by his brother, A. M. Byers, asked for the inquest into her husband's case.

Physicians from the Pennsylvania hospital for the insane where Byers is now under treatment, and from Kirkbridge, Philadelphia, testified that Byers had no lucid intervals and that his mental recovery was impossible. It was stated that the Byers' interest in the firm of A. M. Byers & Co. was worth over \$200,000. No statement was made of the other property he possessed. Mrs. Byers will now go into court and ask that she be made trustee of her husband's person and property.

RUTH CLEVELAND'S PARTY

Is in Honor of Her Birthday for Her Little Friends.

BUZZARDS BAY, Mass., Oct. 4.—Ruth Cleveland, daughter of the president, yesterday gave a birthday party assisted by her father and mother. On account of the rain the children remained indoors where amusements and refreshments were provided. About a dozen little people were present.

Czar Arrives in Crimea.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—A dispatch from Odessa to the Times says the Czar has arrived at Yalta, in the Crimea. The Times' correspondent at Berlin says reports that the Czar was much worse depressed Russian stocks on the bourse yesterday.

Sold His Wife For Twenty-Five Cents.

CHENAY, N. Y., Oct. 4.—A poor, a village east of this city, Kike Gullifert, a young married man, publicly sold his wife to Ambrose Dratt, of Sylburg, for the nominal sum of 25 cents, which was immediately paid and the transfer duly made.

Goff for Mayor of New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—At the county convention of the New York state Democracy last night held in Cooper Union John W. Goff was endorsed as a candidate for mayor.

Bern.

A son was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Garvey, 515 Buchanan street.

Take Snows.

Guaranteed to cure coughs and colds, "Snow's Pine Expectantant." Price 25 and 50 cents bottle. For sale by all druggists.

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A WHOPPER.

Why the Judge and the Colonel Gave Up Fishing.

The judge and the colonel went fishing the other day. For weeks the judge had been telling of a pond he knew where pickerel weighed 12 pounds and were to be had for the asking. The colonel listened patiently for a time and then said he'd go, partly because he wanted to shut out the judge's stories and partly because he needed a day off.

They packed their rods and other paraphernalia and started on an early train for the pond. All the way out the judge talked of nothing but the great fish that were waiting to be caught, and before they arrived at their destination the colonel had caught some of the judge's enthusiasm and was as anxious to get to work as the judge himself. They got a boat, and the judge, who is somewhat of an athlete, said he would do the rowing at first. The colonel put out two lines, one over the stern and the other from a pole.

The judge rowed slowly around the pond, which is not more than a mile long and a quarter of a mile broad, and the colonel attended assiduously to the lines. He didn't get a rise. After the first circuit had been made the colonel said, "Seems to me that those pickerel I have heard you mention are taking a day off."

"Never you mind," protested the judge. "You can't expect to catch fish in a minute. It takes time to get a pickerel. Now, to show you that I am in earnest in this thing, I will row you round again, and I'll bet you'll have a fish before you get back."

The judge pulled slowly along, and the colonel sat in the stern and puffed moodily on his pipe. They went half way round without a strike. "Huh," said the colonel, "we might just as well be fishing in the middle of an asphalt pavement."

The judge did not deign to reply. He yanked violently at the oars a couple of times and then fell into his stroke again, and there was silence for five minutes.

Then the reel on the pole gave a click and a whirr-r-r-r, and the colonel made a grab for it, stopped it and began reeling in for dear life. The line stretched far back among the rushes near the shore.

"Pull him in!" yelled the judge.

The colonel was red in the face by this time. He tugged and hauled and tried to wind up the reel. "I can't budge him," he gasped.

The judge came back and grabbed the pole. He tugged and hauled too. Nothing moved. "I judge," said the judge, "that one weighs 50 pounds."

Then they both got hold together. The strike had been a good one, for the hook held. They heard a tremendous splashing in the high weeds. "We're getting him," yelled the judge. "Keep a-pulling."

The splashing in the rushes grew louder. The two men pulled on that pole as if they were taking in an anchor. "He's coming," gasped the colonel.

"It'll be the biggest pickerel ever caught in the state," said the judge, giving a tremendous yank at the line.

Then out of the rushes burst a mild-eyed cow, with the hook fast in one of her legs. And the colonel and the judge left the boat where it was and waded ashore.—Buffalo Express.

Bob's Special Hat.

A few days since a woman entered a certain hat store. She had in tow a boy of about 10 years of age—that is, his body was 10 years old, but his face looked like a man of 30.

"I want a cheap hat for this boy. I don't care what it is so long as it is cheap."

The hatter pulled over his stock and finally presented to the woman a hat worth about 60 cents.

"I guess this will satisfy you," he said. "It is 50 cents."

"All right; I'll take it. I wanted something cheap for the boy to have fits in," and then she went out.—Syracuse Post.

A Depressed Market.

"Well, Mr. Smithers," said the admiring young woman, "there is certainly a great deal of satisfaction in being a poet when a panic arrives. The hard times can't possibly make much difference in the demand for the products of genius."

"That's just what you make your mistake," said Smithers earnestly. "The big soap manufacturers haven't been doing anything like their ordinary amount of advertising."—Washington Star.

Trouble in the Museum.

"You'd better go and look after those freaks," said the assistant in the dime museum.

"What's the matter?" inquired the manager.

"The cross-eyed giant is courting the two-headed girl, and she's getting jealous of herself."—Chicago Tribune.

Doing Well.

Mrs. B. (who, though still young, has been three times married)—Oh, if I were a man, I would make a name for myself!

Tom (who is husband No. 3)—Strikes me you've done pretty well as it is, my dear. This is the third name you have made.—Tit-Bits.

A Question of Bravery.

Edith—Colonel Gore is the hero of many engagements.

Helene—Matrimonial?

Edith—No; he hasn't courage enough for that.—Truth.

She Was His.

Marie—Do you really feel that you could support a wife?

George (proudly)—Here are my income tax receipts.

Marie (flinging herself into his arms)—Take me, dearest.—Chicago Record.

A Good Substitute.

Freshly (rising to go)—I'm sorry to break up your hand at whist, Miss Rosalie, but really I can't stay any later.

Miss Rosalie—Oh, never mind, Mr. Freshly. I'm sure we shall get on with a dummy just as well.—Tit-Bits.